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**Subject:** Re: NBP2 Blood Ref

I probably won't submit until Friday so if you hear anything different before then let me know.

On Mon, Jul 22, 2019, 9:40 AM Jane Hoppin <jahoppin@ncsu.edu> wrote:

I didn't get an answer

So cite Kotlarz, personal communication

On Mon, Jul 22, 2019 at 9:27 AM Johnsie Lang <jrlang@ncsu.edu> wrote:

Hi Jane,

Have you gotten any answers from your colleagues yet about how I should proceed? I am planning on resubmitting for EPA internal review by the end of this week.

Eventually, I will be submitting to ES&T Letters. I looked at their author guidelines and they do not require references to be peer reviewed.

Nadine's presentation, I downloaded from online, does not list an author on the first page. If I was blindly citing this presentation, then I would either list just NCSU or list all of the contributors on the last page.

Thanks,  
Johnsie

On Thu, Jul 18, 2019 at 7:21 AM Jane Hoppin <jahoppin@ncsu.edu> wrote:

Hi Johnsie,

Because our work is not yet peer-reviewed, you cannot cite it as Kotlarz 2018 ...at best you could indicate it as a personal communication. Given that, I'm not sure if it's better to be indicated as a personal communication with me (the PI of the study) or Nadine (the person who will ultimately be the first author of the paper).

I'm an associate editor at EHP, so I will talk with my colleagues there to learn more about the appropriate way to cite personal communications.

It would be inappropriate to cite our website because when we publish our results we will remove these preliminary results and include things from the paper.

I'll give you an answer about the best way to include this by early next week.

Jane

On Thu, Jul 18, 2019 at 5:24 AM Johnsie Lang <[jrlang@ncsu.edu](mailto:jrlang@ncsu.edu)> wrote:

Hi All,

I have gotten the first round of comments from the EPA internal clearance of my NBP2 toxicity manuscript. Several of the comments asked me to include the reference for Nadine's presentation on serum concentrations. I have also talked with Mark who indicated that his GenX results were cited from a poster several times before his manuscript was published. My coauthors, Mark, Andy, Neil, and Donna are now all in agreement that we should include reference to Nadine's presentation in the introduction to the manuscript. Since I know the NCSU people, I would like to give them the opportunity to comment on the text. I am proposing the following text:

"PFESA-BP2 has been previously reported in the finished drinking water and serum of residents from Wilmington, NC. (Hopkins et al., 2018 Kotlarz, 2018)"

Thanks,  
Johnsie

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